

**USPS-FY16-4**

**DOMESTIC MARKET DOMINANT BILLING DETERMINANTS**

**Note:** Revisions of 3/15/17 are described at the end of this document in **bold**.

**I. PREFACE**

**A. Purpose and Content**

USPS-FY16-4 contains the U.S. Postal Service billing determinants for domestic market dominant products for FY 2016. Billing determinants provide specific information regarding revenue and volume of postal products and services. It consists of a CD ROM containing the electronic version, and several printouts containing the hard copy version of the billing determinants.

**B. Predecessor Document**

Domestic Billing Determinants for FY 2015 were filed with the Postal Regulatory Commission as USPS-FY15-4.

**C. Methodology**

The methodologies used to produce the FY 2016 Billing Determinants follow the methodologies used in the FY 2015 and earlier versions of the billing determinants.

**D. Input/Output**

This folder is used to develop workshare and other cost information contained in USPS-FY16-10, USPS-FY16-11, USPS-FY16-12, USPS-FY16-13, USPS-FY16-15, USPS-FY16-16, USPS-FY16-17, USPS-FY16-18, USPS-FY16-19.

**II. ORGANIZATION**

USPS-FY16-4 consists of eight Excel workbooks containing FY 2016 billing determinants for market dominant products. The following list indicates the contents of each workbook.

FY 2016 BPM.xlsx – Bound Printed Matter Billing Determinants  
FY 2016 FCM.xlsx – First-Class Mail Billing Determinants  
FY 2016 Media and Library.xlsx – Media Mail and Library Mail Billing Determinants  
FY 2016 Periodicals.xlsx – Periodicals Billing Determinants

FY 2016 Special Services and Free Blind.xlsx – Special Services Billing Determinants

FY 2016 Standard Mail.xlsx – Standard Mail Billing Determinants

FY 2016 Alaska Bypass.xlsx – Alaska Bypass Billing Determinants

Sub Folder “Supplemental Data” contains the quarterly billing determinants for those classes that have not historically included that level of detail.

**Revisions of 3/15/17:** The changes of this date are limited to the Address Correction Service (ACS) tab (as well as the Summary tab) in five Special Services files (one for FY 2016, and one for each quarter). Subsequent review of the ACS data revealed that both ACS transactions and revenue had been understated in the original Special Services billing determinant files because not all of the Automated ACS volume was reflected. The revised files now include all of the Automated ACS volume. The revised tabs and revised cells are highlighted.